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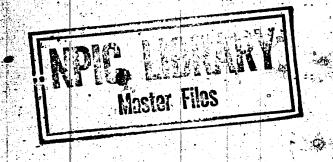
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PREFACE

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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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MILITARY TRAINING AREA
(40-07N 043-57E)

OKTEMBERYAN, ARMYANSKAYA SSR, USSR

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FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF MILITARY TRAINING AREA.



FIGURE 2. MILITARY TRAINING AREA, DETEMBERYAN, USSE

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SUMMARY

A military training area is located 8 kilometers (km) southwest of Oktemberyan (Figure 1). This installation surrounds a military barracks area and encompasses approximately 24,400 acres. It contains an administration area with 11 support buildings, a small-arms

firing range, a driver-training course, and 2 tank/assault-gun firing ranges (Figure 2). KEYHOLE missions dated → Study of revealed no change in the physical facilities or level of usage.

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The Leninakan-Yerevan railroad passes 7 km north-northeast.

Road Service

This installation is served by good, hardsurfaced roads and an internal road network.

Aircraft Landing Strip

Oktemberyan Airfield is located 16 km East.

Administration and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 11 single-story support buildings.

Small-Arms Firing Range

Area L is a 3,100- by 1,200-foot (including impact area) small-arms firing range. The range has a single-story support building.

Driver-Training Area

Area M is an irregularly shaped drivertraining course.

Tank/Assault-Gun Firing Ranges

Area N1 is a 5,000-foot tank/assault-gun firing range with three 2,800-foot lanes and approximately 3 targets.

Area N2 is a 4,400-foot tank/assault-gun firing range with three 3,000-foot lanes and. approximately 5 targets.

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